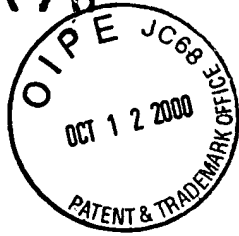


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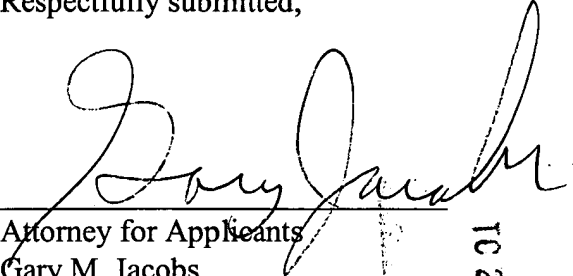
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Official Action dated April 12, 2000 for three months from July 12, 2000 to October 12, 2000.

Submitted herewith is a check for \$890.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this petition is enclosed.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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